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Brief Mention of . What Is Going On In and About Titusville.

Mr. B. L. Coutant has just lately returned from a visit to Capt. Coutant, at for 57 cents. Oak Hill house of refuge.

Mr. Jos. Williamson, of Micco, one of the oldest residents in the Narrows, was in town Sunday and Monday.

A telegram was received here Monday from Tampa announcing the arrival of a fine girl to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mendel, of that city.

Mr. Geo. Bayless was transferred to Fort Pierce this week by the F. E. C. railway, and expects to leave today for day). Out of town orders filled at same his new post of duty.

Mr. J. W. Osban lost his spectacles on Main street Monday morning. They were in a red case. Finder will please return to owner and receive suitable reward.

Mr. Mason and wife have rented the Gaulden cottage on Washington avenue and gone to housekeeping. Mr. Mason is now employed in Dr. Carroll's grocery

The yacht Etta May, Captains Serjeantson and Brownrigg, anchored off this place for a few hours Sunday. We have heard that they shortly expect to | in his town. make a trip to the Bahamas.

Mr. A. B. Otwell, a former resident of Bahia, on Indian river, has just been this place, both morning and evening, as elected to fill the unexpired term of Alderman Chillingworth, of West Palm Beach, the latter resigning to become

Mr. L. R. Decker was up from Jensen Saturday, returning Sunday. He has work there for three weeks to come, after which he expects to go to West Palm Beach, accompanied by his son, Tom N. Decker, and wife.

When you want to "tank up" consult or correspond with the Pioneer Cooperage, LaGrange, Fla., Tom Johnson, proprietor, who makes cypress tanks any size to order. Satisfaction guaranteed and prices are right.

Mr. C. S. Schuyler, cashier of the new Planters' Security bank at Jensen, came up Saturday and returned Sunday afternoon. He reports that the new institution is meeting with splendid success and securing new business almost every day.

Mr. Frank Duren returned home Sunday from a six weeks' vacation spent in Georgia and North Carolina, much im- ly a resident of LaGrange. Mr. Smith and laying out road between Fort Pierce proved in health by his outing, having expects to be away from Gomez several and Five-mile creek bridge was received, gained ten pounds avoirdupois. His friends are pleased to see him looking so much improved.

Mr. W. M. Brown and family took their leave for the north Saturday, as mentioned in these columns last week. Mrs. Brown and the children will spend | many a large shipment of Highest Grade a couple of months in Connecticut while Mr. Brown will attend to business affairs generally with headquarters in New York city.

Judge Jones has appointed Ex-Governor Francis P. Fleming to be guardian ad litem for Mrs. Flagler in the Flagler divorce suit. We think this is a good appointment, as Governor Fleming's qualifications from every standpoint eminently fit him for the responsibility imposed upon him by the law.

Archdeacon B. F. Brown and Mrs. Brown expect to leave next Thursday, the 15th, for New York, and will spend several weeks in New England states and in Baltimore. Mrs. M. P. Robbins will accompany them on a visit to relatives in Bath, Maine. They go via Savannah and the Ocean Steamship line.

Mr. W. H. McFarland arrived in town Saturday. He has gained a great deal in health and avoirdupois by his recent sea trip, and is looking better than we have ever seen him. We learn that Mr. Mc will have the dispensing of attractions and amusements for the forthcoming state fair, in Jacksonville. No better selection could have been made.

Vice President J. R. Parrott, of the F. E. C. railway, was in town for several hours Monday afternoon returning from the south. He had with him Judge Raney of Tallahassee, and Ex-Governor F. P. Fleming, of Jacksonville. They called on Judge Jones while here and met a number of their friends, leaving that evening at 7 o'clock for St. Augustine and Jacksonville.

We have just learned of the death of of Columbus, Ohio, and member of the return, limited to November 3rd. years of severa!

## The Chance of the Season.

Beantiful Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, worth \$4.50, for \$3.67. Lovely Dotted Swiss Ruffled Curtains,

worth \$2.25, for \$1.87. Handsome Lace Curtains, worth 75c.,

Exquisite Lace Curtains, worth \$1.25, for 88 cents.

Splendid Value. Dresser Sets (4 pieces) consisting of 2 Pillow Shams, 1 Dresser \$3.50, for set now \$2.57.

Portierres, fancy, a bargain at \$2.00, now \$1.37.

Linoleum. Pretty pattern, genuine article, 2 yards wide, at 98c. per yard. This afternoon and tomorrow (Satur-

prices if received Saturday. JOHN R. WALKER & Co.

Mrs. Wright left this week for a lengthy visit to Green Cove, her former home.

Dr. B. R. Wilson was called to Shiloh last Friday afternoon on account of the serious illness of Miss Clara Nolle.

Mrs. E. L. Brady with her baby daughter went to Cocoa Tuesday to place the child under the care of Dr. Hughlett.

Hon. K. B. Raulerson, of Fort Pierce, was in town Wednesday and yesterday. He reports the building boom as still on

Archdeacon B. F. Brown's appointment for Sunday will be at St. Gabriels church, he leaves next Thursday for his summer vacation at the north.

tine, went to West Palm Beach Tuesday Brainard, G. W. Washburn and J. O. where he will drill the crew and sail the Fries are hereby appointed to mark, view sloop Annie in the match race against the sloop Naiade next Monday.

Mr. M. Stanley Jones returned from the prairies and flats in the southwest part of the county for a day or so last week to get a settlement from the attorneys in regard to some dispute relating to the J. Fleur de Luce cattle division, of which Mr. Jones is a member of the commission appointed by Judge Jones to make the division. Stan says it is hard and hot work branding wild and unruly cattle this kind of weather.

Mr. J. Smith, of Gomez, spent two or three days here and at LaGrange the first of the week. He drove his horse and buggy here, and goes from here to received, amounting to \$7.24 state, and Marion county via Barberville, where he | \$3.60 county. will visit his uncle, L. J. Carhle, formermonths, perhaps a year. His brother has charge of his place and the post-

## HIGHEST GRADE SULPHATE POTASH.

We have imported direct from Ger-Sulphate Potash. Our prices are the ing to law. lowest in Florida.

> S. F. TRAVIS & Co., Cocoa, Fla.

## NOTICE OF TRANSFER.

I have disposed of my stock of lumber and building material at Ft. Pierce to the Ft. Pierce Lumber company, and bespeak for them a continuance of the business so generously bestowed upon me by the A. C. DITTMAR.

Ft. Pierce, Aug. 9th, 1901.

## Fish Warden's Notice.

Having received my commission as fish warden for Brevard county I wish to put all parties concerned upon notice that the fish laws will be strictly inforced, and I desire to specially uige that those parties fishing in the fresh waters of the county pay strict heed to law regulating the taking of fish in fresh waters.

> J. T. Robinson, Fish Warden Brevard County.

# THE WHITE STORE.

We guarantee better goods for less money than any house in the county. W. J. CRAYFORD.

## MARINE GAS ENGINES.

New and second hand. Engines adjusted. Catalogue free. W. P. UNDERwood, Roseland, Fla.

## Going to the Pan-American?

If so, the Ocean Steamship company offers you the unrivaled route for pleasure, comfort, sight-seeing, etc. Only J. F. Martin, a prominent business man \$49.10 from Jacksonville to Buffalo and lumber firm of Martin & Hildreth, of great saving over the all-rail route, which that city. Mr. Martin has spert many necessitates Pullman sleeper fare and winters on Indian river and is well meals extra. Stop-over privileges alknown in the City Point and Rockledge lowed in New York city. None of the neighborheads. He was past seventy all-rail routes read via that city. Cor-He leaves a widow and respond with E. B. WAGER, Titusville, for tickets and reservation

Official Account of Their Proceedings in Session This Week.

The board of county commissioners was called to order Aug. 5th by the chairman. Present: John R. Walker for the first district; John R. Miot, second district; R. A. Conkling, third district; John C. Jones, fourth district; John F. Bell, Cover, 1 Wash Stand Cover, cheap at fifth district; A. A. Stewart, clerk; J. P. Brown, sheriff.

> The reading of the minutes was dispensed with until the afternoon meeting. Petition of citizens of Micco for a public road along the river front was received and Mr. Williamson addressed the board | Hose, 3 pairs for 25 cents. in favor of the road, and Mr. Campbell against. The following were appointed to mark and lay out the same: Peter Bertelsen, Jos. Williamson and J. O. Fries.

Petition of citizens of Roseland and Sebastian was received. As the necessary property owners had not signed the same it was rejected.

Petition of citizens of Sebastian, asking for a neighborhood road, beginning at S Kitching's and running up to Jas. Hudson's north line and intersecting with present county road, was received. The following viewers were appointed to mark and lay out same: R. G. Hardee, Wm. Braddock and Ivy Lawson.

Petition of citizens of Melbourne, Ean Gallie and vicinity to straighten road and locating same on river front was received and the following were appointed to mark and lay out the same: G. F. Paddison, N. Downey and J. O. Fries.

Petition of citizens of Malabar for a pub-Mr. W. S. M. Pinkham, of St. Augus- lic road is hereby recognized and L. G. and lay out a public road from Valkaria north, along the river front as near as practicable, to Center street in Malabar, and west along Center street to the public road at the railroad station, and upon the report being approved the old road be changed accordingly.

> Petition of citizens of Gifford, for public road was received and the following appointed to mark and lay out the same: S. T. Hughes, J. D. H. Weir and R. R.

> Report of tax collector for poll taxes collected during the month of July for the year 1900 was received, amount \$8 00.

> Report of the county judge for licenses collected during the month of July was

> Report of road commissioners marking accepted, approved and notices ordered posted according to law.

> Report of road commissioners marking and laying out road between Sebastian and south boundary of commissioners' district No. 3 was received, accepted, approved and notices ordered posted accord-

> Petition of citizens of Fort Drum, asking for a cattle inspector at Fort Pierce, was received and laid over until the next meeting for action.

Bond of R. N. Andrews as notary pub lic was received and approved.

Report of John Henry, special accountant for fourth and fifth districts special road tax 1899 and 1900 levy was received showing the following:

SPECIAL ROAD TAX, 5 MILL LEVY OF 1899. NEW DISTRICT NO. 4.

Amount collected from all sources \$ 1736 47 Less warrants issued and paid for said district ..... 1238 01

Balance due district No. 4, '99 levy \$ 498 46 SPECIAL ROAD TAX, 5-MILL LEVY OF 1899. NEW DISTRICT NO. 5.

Amount collected from all sources \$ 1926 88 Less warrants issued and paid for said oistrict ..... 441 24

Balance due district No. 5, '99 levy \$ 1485 64 SPECIAL ROAD TAX, 5-MILL LEVY OF 1900. NEW DISTRICT NO. 4.

Amount collected from all sources \_- \$ 1765 68 No warrants issued or paid on this levy

SPECIAL ROAD TAX, 5-MILL LEVY OF 1900. NEW DISTRICT NO. 5. Amount collected from all sources... \$ 1901 74 No warrants issued or paid on this levy

Total balance due new district No. 4: 1899 and 1900 levy, (\$498.46 and Total balance due new district No.

5: 1899 and 1900 levy, (\$1485.64 and \$1901.74) -----\$ 3387.38 \$ 5651.82 Total collections new district No. 4, 1899 and

1900 levies, \$3502.15, or 472 per cent. Total collections new district No. 5, 1899 and 1900 levies, \$3828.62, or 521 per cent.

These balances aggregate more than the treasurer's accounts show at this date, as the money received for the sale of individual tax certificates and collections & delstate treasurer for tax redemptions are roc'th (July) will not show in the treas grow length until August, but these figures ees on public to sav Capta compliees on los Engines and column free. W. P. Und

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## Special Sale at Kline's.

Fine Bleached Table Damask, 62 inches wide, regular 75 cents goods for 39 cents; Fine Mercerized Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide, worth \$1.50 per yard, at 75 cents; Fine Table Damask, 62 inches wide, excellent quality, worth \$1.00, for 59 cents a yard; Red Damask Table Cloth, fast color, very nice worth 50 cents a yard, for 25 cents; nice quality of blue and white figured Table Damask for 35 cents a yard, worth 75 cents.

Ten yards of fine Challie for 50 cents. Genuine Screven Drawers, all sizes, for 69 cents; Men's Neckwear, the kind you have always paid 50 cents for, now 25c.

Men's Fast Black Hermsdorf Half

Straw Hats, worth \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00, all to go for 50 cents on Monday day and there was slight hope of her re-

Mr. R. R. Ricou and little son, of Jensen, paid the county seat a flying visit passed the examination and have been

Mr. W. R. Walker, Jr., has been very ill this week with continued fever, but is now some better.

Miss Bernice Strahan, of Mims, is spending a while on a visit with the family of Mr. R. E. Mims, at Bonaventure, for which place she left Wednesday.

Judge Beggs, of Orlando, and Judge Stewart, of DeLand, were in town Tuesday and Wednesday attending to some important business before Judge Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goldsmith and the baby left on Wednesday for Jacksonville, where they expect to spend at least a week, and possibly may locate there.

Miss Ethel Coutant will spend a month or so of vacation with her parents at Oak Hill while Mr. W. M. Brown, her employer, is away at the north. She left the F. E. C. Railway company, in Jack-Wednesday.

Mr. Ed. Knox has been granted a two weeks' vacation from his duties at the grocery stand of Brady & Bro., which he is spending in Alabama, leaving Wednesday, stopping at St. Augustine.

Mr. Harry W. Richards and family were passengers on the northbound train Wednesday for Atlanta. Having disposed of their place and all effects at Eden Mr. Richards expects to locate permanently in Atlanta. His brother, Mr. Will Richards, bought his place.

At the regular meeting of the town council Tuesday evening the usual monthly routine of auditing and paying accounts, etc., was attended to. The main subject under discussion was the proposition to levy a two-mill special tax for fire protection. A motion in favor of the levy failed to receive a second, in consequence of which the matter was laid on the table until an adjourned meeting of the council to be held on Monday next, the 12th inst.

## Paid the Penalty.

Sheriff Brown was present with Sheriff Perry, of St. Johns county, at the execution of the negroes Kirby and Lee, at St. Augustine last Friday. Death ensued from strangulation and the execution was hull made by Mr. E. Vesey Hall, of in public. Our sheriff is of the opinion that had not his suggestion to have the military company present been acted handy little craft. upon there might have been trouble. A legal execution cannot be made public. The drop was not far enough and the single trap door was not as effective as double doors. The sight of the struggling victims dying from strangulation was too much for the hundreds of people present, many of whom made towards the scaffold but were held back by the bayonets of the military boys.

## NOTICE.

The lumber and building material purchased of Mr. A. C. Dittmar, Ft. Pierce, will be continued by the undersigned, who hopes for the favor of the public.

THE FORT PIERCE LUMBER CO.

## A BIG ADVANCE.

price of Linseed Oil and White Lead, but | Camp & West to compel Commissioner my price on Masury's Paint and Railroad McLin to award them 300 convicts at Colors are just the same.

G. F. Paddison, Eau Gallie, Fla.

# PINEAPPLE SLIPS AND SUCKERS

For sale. Nothing but first-class plants will be sold. Red Spanish and Abakkas from the DeVinne plantation. Address, H. C. STARCK,

Malabar, Fla.

## NOTICE.

I will be in Titusville Monday, August 5th. Will remain ten days or two weeks. Rooms at Indian River hotel. Will be glad to serve those who desire it. R. M. Mason,

> Dentist. er 'uly 31st, 1901.

Current Events of the Present Week Portrayed In Brief.

Mr. Barnes Sanders, of Indianola, spent a day or so in town the first of the

Mr. Will Praetorious, wife and the baby were in our town the first part of the week calling on friends.

Mrs. J. R. Anthony, of West Palm Beach, a former resident of Titusville, is now spending several weeks at her old home in Georgia. Mr. R. A. Bobbett returned from City

Point Monday afternoon, and his aunt, Mrs. Jane Dixon, was taken worse Suncovery.

Bloxham Ward and Henry T. Burgin, both of Florida, have just successfully admitted to the military academy at West Point.

Mrs. R. R. Gladwin, who was brought here from Fort Pierce Thursday of last week on a stretcher very ill after five days of continuous fever, returned home Wednesday quite fully recovered.

Attorney C. C. Chillingworth, of West Palm Beach, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Robbins Saturday and Sunday on his way home from two or three weeks spent in North Georgia.

Miss Katherine Sams, of Courtenay, is spending a few days in Titusville with her friends, the Misses King. We acknowledge a pleasant call from Miss Sams and Miss King Wednesday.

Mr. A. V. S. Smith, connected with Vice President Parrott's department of sonville, spent several days in our town the first of the week, leaving Wednesday for West Palm Beach.

Mr. Henry Whipple, who recently disposed of his general merchandise business at Eden, has purchased a three story residence and lot in West Palm Beach and will probably engage in the mercantile business in that town.

The new law against carrying concealed weapons is now in full force. The law is a very rigid one and should put a stop to the dangerous practice. The minimum fine is \$100 or three months in jail, and the maximum \$500 or six months in jail.

Mr. E. R. Simmons' family, wife and three children, arrived here last week from Jacksonville, also Mr. Simmons' father, Mr. S. R. Simmons. They secured the former Graham cottage in South Titusville, now owned by Mr. J.

We surrender a good portion of our editorial and local space this week to make room for county commissioners' proceedings. The report of Mr. Henry, accountant, which is published in brief this week for want of space, will be published in full next week.

Mr. T. G. Ronald came up from Cocoa in something less than three hours Monday morning with his launch, the Utilis, Georgiana. She is a square stern launch and has the appearance of being a very

Dr. G. W. Holmes was in town Wednesday. We note that he has frequent calls up this way as well as the whole length of Indian river. The doctor's practice is now so extensive that he has little time that is his own, keeping him almost continually on the go.

Frank O'Berry bought the beef cattle in the J. Fleur de Luce stock from the three commissioners appointed by Judge Minor S. Jones to divide the stock, Messrs. M. S. Jones, Jr., Arch Hendry and J. S. Stratton. The number of beef cattle is estimated at 500 head.

In the famous convict mandamus proceedings, at Tallahassee, after an argument lasting one and a half days, Judge Malone has rendered a decision quashing There has been a strong advance in the mandamus proceedings instituted by \$100 per capita per annum.

An ocean beach party made up of Misses Venetia and Aleph Mims, Mrs. S. E. Rice and her sister, Miss Clark, ar Messrs. R. E. Mims and W. E. Vanle ingham visited the beach on Mossier lagoon Friday night and Satura and making the trip on the sloopH, 1 Ged Capt. Simonson. The pager-Grade very few mosquitoes, firered re this very few mosquitoes, figrade night on the beach and the

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